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In re Patent Application of

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For:

POWER CONTROL CIRCUIT WITH ACTIVE IMPEDANCE TO AVOID

INTERFERENCE AND SENSING PROBLEMS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT/SUBMISSION

Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action mailed May 4, 2004 in the above-identified application. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

FEE CALCULATION

	Any additional fee required has been calculated as follows:						
	If checked, "Small Entity" status is claimed.						
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SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS

If checked, an abstract (an amended abstract) is submitted herewith.
 If checked, amendment(s) to the drawings are submitted herewith.
 If checked, amendment(s) to the specification are submitted herewith.
 If checked, amendment(s) to the claims are submitted herewith.